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## House of Representatives

The House met at 11 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mrs. DINGELL).

### DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

> WASHINGTON, DC, November 23, 2021.

I hereby appoint the Honorable DEBBIE DINGELL to act as Speaker pro tempore on

> NANCY PELOSI. Speaker of the House of Representatives.

#### PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Margaret Grun Kibben, offered the following

From the beginning, O God, in Your divine grace, You have bestowed on us the rewards of Your marvelous creation. We pause to give thanks for Your awe-inspiring handiwork that You have shared with us for our enjoyment: the constellations of the stars, the majesty of the mountains, the peace of a river, the abundant harvest of the land.

The Earth is Yours, O Lord, and the fullness thereof, and on this Thanksgiving week, we take time to give honor to You for the incredible privilege we have together to tend this vast garden. May we reflect with gratitude on the tasks You have entrusted us: to sow and to harvest the bounty of the Earth, to tend to the health of all that lives in this world, to plant and to yield goodwill among those who labor alongside us.

We give thanks to You for all these blessings as we gather around tables this week. Be among us that we may experience the generosity of Your abiding presence. Shed Your grace on the fruit of fellowship wherever it is found.

Nourish our souls with mutual respect and equip us to carry out the responsibilities You have bestowed on us.

In all the gifts for which we give thanks, may we be ever mindful of the gifts of Your love and faithfulness.

In Your generous name we pray.

### THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Pursuant to section 11(a) of House Resolution 188, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

APPOINTMENT OF INDIVIDUALS TO ADVISORY BOARD FOR THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CHILD CARE CENTER

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair announces the Speaker's appointment, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 2062, and the order of the House of January 4, 2021, of the following individuals to the Advisory Board for the House of Representatives Child Care Center:

Kate Knudson Wolters, Alexandria,

Justin Wein, Silver Spring, Maryland Erin Kolodjeski, Arlington, Virginia

APPOINTMENT OF INDIVIDUAL TO ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON THE RECORDS OF CONGRESS

SPEAKER pro tempore. The The Chair announces the Speaker's appointment, pursuant to 44 U.S.C. 2702, and the order of the House of January 4, 2021, of the following individual on the part of the House to the Advisory Committee on the Records of Congress:

Norman Jay Ornstein, Washington,

### COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK, House of Representatives, Washington, DC, June 28, 2021.

Hon. NANCY PELOSI, Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MADAM SPEAKER: Pursuant to 44 U.S.C. 2702, I hereby appoint as a member of the Advisory Committee on the Records of Congress the following person: Ms. Danna Bell, Washington, D.C.

With best wishes, I am,

Sincerely.

CHERYL L. JOHNSON.

### BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Cheryl L. Johnson, Clerk of the House, reported that on November 3, 2021, she presented to the President of the United States, for his approval, the following bills:

H.R. 3475. To name the Department of Veterans Affairs community-based outpatient clinic in Columbus, Georgia, as the "Robert S. Poydasheff VA Clinic"

H.R. 3919. To ensure that the Federal Communications Commission prohibits authorization of radio frequency devices that pose a national security risk.

H.R. 4172. To name the Department of Veterans Affairs community-based outpatient clinic in Aurora, Colorado, as the "Lieutenant Colonel John W. Mosley VA Clinic"

Cheryl L. Johnson, Clerk of the House, further reported that on November 15, 2021, she presented to the

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